IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicants: Donald H. Eason and Steven Grant Fisher

Title: Instrument Support Apparatus with Internal Cabling

Examiner: Christopher J. Uhlir

Art Unit: 2837

Assignee: Swift Distribution, Inc.
Attorney Docket: USS-MDS20-PCT3-USNP

Customer No. 33549 Confirmation No. 4166

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

On behalf of the applicant, the undersigned attorney hereby requests an extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). This request is submitted in relation to a response due to the office action mailed June 10, 2009, having a shortened statutory period for response of three months. A response to this action would otherwise be due September 10, 2009; however, it is requested that this time period be extended for two months to and including November 10, 2009. This extension will thereby encompass a portion of the statutory period of six months pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §133. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17, an extension fee of \$245.00 is submitted with this Petition. In the event this fee has been miscalculated please charge any additional fees to the Credit Card associated with this filing.

Dated this 10th day of November, 2009.

Respectfully Submitted, SANTANGELO LAW OFFICES, P.C.

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